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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 29, 2003 to October 29, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$210.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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The Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 was filed on May 4, 2004 in response to the three-month Non-Final Office Action dated April 8, 2004. The PTO date-stamped filing receipt dated May 4, 2004 is enclosed as Exhibit B.

Since Applicants filed the response in a timely manner, no extensions were needed, therefore, Applicants' undersigned representative respectfully requests a refund in the amount of

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